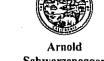


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REQUEST TO SUBMIT QUARTERLY MONITORING RESULTS IN ELECTRONIC FORMAT-EAST SAN JOAQUIN WATER QUALITY COALITION

Thank you for your letter submitted on 6 May 2010 requesting a modification in the format requirements for submittal of quarterly monitoring data reports. To comply with the Monitoring and Reporting Program Order No. R5-2008-0005 (MRP Order), the Coalition is currently required to "submit the previous quarter monitoring results in electronic format as well as hard copy" (Part III. Section A. Page 17). The Coalition is requesting to submit only electronic copies of laboratory reports instead of both hard copies and electronic copies.

The inclusion of all components of the quarterly monitoring data report in the electronic submittal (Part III. Section A., Page 17, MRP Order), as well as items 1, 2, and 3 of the Coalition request letter, will allow the Coalition to comply with the MRP Order and will also facilitate the storage and filing of future documents. Additionally, Staff discussed with the Coalition on 10 May 2010 that the submittal of the Annual Monitoring Report (AMR) and the Annual Management Plan Update Report (Annual MPUR) will also be in electronic format only. Therefore, I approve the Coalition's request to submit the quarterly monitoring data report, AMR, and Annual MPUR in electronic format only, effective immediately.

If you have any questions or comments regarding this modification approval, please contact Dania Huggins at (916) 464-4843, or by email at dhuggins@waterboards.ca.gov.

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